I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent by facsimile transmission to Fax No. 703-872-9306 in accordance with §1.6(d) addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-7450, on the date shown January 15, 2004 Docket No. GC567-C1 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of **Huaming Wang** Group Art Unit: 1652 Serial No.: 10/080,233 Examiner: Moore, William W. Filed: February 19, 2002 **NOVEL PHENOL OXIDIZING ENZYMES** <u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u> Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir. The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action dated July 15, 2003: one month to __; the extension fee is \$110.00. __; the extension fee is \$420.00. two months to three months to <u>January 15, 2004</u>; the extension fee is \$950.00. four months to _ _____; the extension fee is \$1,480.00. _____; the extension fee is \$2,010.00. five months to

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC567-C1). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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